GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

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UPGRADATION OF AIR STATION
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government propose to upgrade some AIR Stations in the country;

(b) If so, the details thereof, State-wise, location-wise, particularly Alleppey Station of AIR; and

(c) The steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard alongwith the budgetary allocation for each station?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF T MINISTRY OF LOW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): Details of upgradation schemes of Radio Stations underimplementation alongwith budgetary allocations are given at Annexure-I. There is no proposal at present to upgrade the transmitter at Alleppey as it was recently upgraded to 200 KW MW from earlier 100 KW MW. All the schemes under implementation are targeted to be completed during 9th Plan period, subject to availability of resources and infrastructure facilities.